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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby request a three month extension of time, to 5 July 2009, to respond to the Final Office Action mailed 5 January 2009 in the above-identified patent application.

Applicants claim small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the total of the petition for extension of time fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0811, referencing Docket No. FP0617 US.

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